

MAIL STOP AF EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 1635

PATENT 40770-000154/US

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Hassan JOMAA

Conf.:

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Appl. No.:

09/806,080

Group:

1635

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Examiner:

Richard Schnizer

For:

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Docket No.: 40770-000154/US

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 December 17, 2003

Sir:

of the	Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated <u>July 17, 2003</u> Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims <u>3-8, 22, 24 and 25</u> .
	The enclosed document is being transmitted via the Certificate of Mailing provisions of 37 C F R 8 1 8

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of **Two (2) month(s)** pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a).

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

\boxtimes	NO extensions of time have been previously obtained for responding to the Final
	Rejection. Thus a fee of \$420.00 is required for the full period of the above-requested
	extension of time.

	An extension	of	 month(s)	for	responding	to	the	Final	Rejection	was
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	previously requested and paid for on . Thus a fee of \$ is required.						
	Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.						
follow	The Government fee for filing a Notice of Appeal to the Board of Appeals is calculated as s:						
	Small Entity - \$165.00						
	Therefore, the TOTAL FEE due for the filing of this Notice of Appeal is \$750.00.						
Payment of the above TOTAL FEE is being made in the following manner:							
\boxtimes	Check in the amount of \$750.00 is enclosed.						
	Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-0750 in the amount of \$0.00. A triplicate copy of this sheet is attached.						
-	If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future s, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-0750 for any onal fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.						
	Respectfully submitted,						
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